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In Re application of: GALLI et al

Serial No.: 09/647939

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For: SOURCE OF NUCLEI FOR NUCLEAR TRANSFER

REQUEST FOR REFUND AND WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

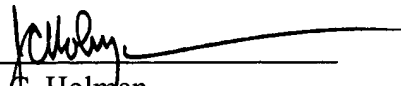
Through inadvertent error and mistake the above-captioned application, Serial No. 09/647939 is identical to Application 09/673236. Resulting from lack of identification from the foreign associate, undersigned counsel filed the same application twice and wishes to continue solely on Serial No. 09/673236, our folio P64474US0. Insofar as Serial No. 09/647939 is concerned, this application is herewith expressly withdrawn as being a duplicate of U.S. Serial No. 09/673236.

In light of this inadvertent error and the withdrawal of this application so as not to cause the Patent and Trademark Office to duplicate their effort on two applications for the same invention, it is requested that the payment of \$990 made October 18, 2000 for the filing of Serial No. 09/647939 be refunded to undersigned counsel's deposit account 06-1358.

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